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Democratic National Committee Backs Wilson On Treaty Fight With Unanimous Endorsement

THREATENING SITUATION IN RUSSIA FOR ANTI-REDS

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The situation in Russia is about as bad as could be, from an anti-Bolshevik point of view, according to British war office reports, and there are few signs indicating any likely improvement.

There are two especially menacing developments. In the first place, General Denikin's army has been cut in two through the Bolshevik push to the west of Astrakhan and its flank has been thrust back, leaving a large gap.

In addition there comes a claim from the Bolsheviks of the capture further east of the town of Krasnovodsk, on the Caspian Sea, and while this is not confirmed it is generally accepted as true.

The capture of this important port of Krasnovodsk, it is pointed out, creates the grave possibility that the Reds may overrun northern Persia and occupy Teheran, which probably would mean the establishment of a Bolshevik side in Persia.

The taking of Krasnovodsk permits the Reds not only to control a large part of the important Krasnovodsk-Baku railroad, but gives them free access to the Caspian. There seems little chance to prevent them from gaining control of the Caspian from the more or less ineffective Russian fleet. Once in the possession of this sea, there remains only a small British force, and the poorly organized forces between the Reds and the occupation of Teheran and northern Persia, through which would exist the possibility of their obtaining control of the whole country.

Baku with its important oil supplies to the western coast of the Caspian seems likely also to fall into Bolshevik hands and its occupation would provide a base for further operations against the rear of Denikin's hard pressed right wing.

ITALY IN GRIP OF FLOODS

ROME, Jan. 8.—Heavy rains are causing floods throughout most of Italy. The Arno and Tiber rivers are overflowing their banks and inundating many sections. In several districts houses have collapsed.

ROME, Jan. 8.—The Arno valley is flooded and many towns, among which are Bardi, Caprona, Pietrasanta and Pescia, are isolated. The lower part of the city of Pisa is inundated and it is feared lives have been lost at Cascina.

UNDERWOOD NOT A CANDIDATE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, in a statement today announced that he would not be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

HAMBONE'S REPUTATIONS

HIS A LITTLE BIT RESKY 'T HIRE DE MAN WHUTS GOT TOO MENNY RECOMMENDATIONS IN HE POCKET, CASE EF HE ALL DAT GOOD HE AIN' WINE BE LOOKIN' FUH A JOB!!



SECRETARY LANE'S DAUGHTER POPULAR "BUD" AT CAPITAL



Miss Nancy Lane, daughter of Secretary of the Interior Franklin B. Lane, is one of the most popular girls in the nation in Washington society.

Tripartite Control Of American Industry New Plan Advanced By Plumb

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Tripartite control of American industry, in which the public, capital and labor would share equally, has been advanced by Glenn E. Plumb, author of a similar plan for railroads. Advanced copies of his proposal have been circulated among government officials and a public announcement is expected soon.

Plumb in presenting his plan declares that the "existing industrial system is crashing around our ears," that wages have no relation to the value of service and that profits are "wrongfully exacted."

Reconstruction of the industrial system, the author of the plan states, is necessary to produce absolute equality between three interests—the public, capital and labor.

To create this, he adds, the grant of society either as a privilege or monopoly shall be considered the investment of society in the industry and the capital invested and the labor exerted shall be deemed the investments of the capital and labor groups.

Profits on the investments, the plan provides, would be shared by society in the form of better and cheaper service, by capital in guaranteed protection of investment and a fair rate of return and by labor in the shape of better wages and a share of savings produced by labor in production.

Under Plumb's plan, industry would be divided into four classes. Those in which the public interest is predominant would be owned and operated by the government, but with thorough organization, now concerns only direction and supervision of production of others who have no interest in ownership; those based on grants from society, and railroads and commercial transportation facilities.

BRUTAL TREATMENT BY FEDERAL AGENTS, CHARGED

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 8.—A grand jury investigation of "high handed and brutal methods" charged against federal agents in their campaign against radicals here, was ordered today by Judge W. S. Anderson, to whom attorneys for Morris Orshol, taken in the raids but later released, applied for a probe. The grand jury is now in session. Meanwhile Orshol has secured a John Doe warrant for a federal agent said to be E. J. Williams, whom he charges with having beaten him during a "third degree" examination. Habeas corpus proceedings began by Orshol's attorneys were dropped when he was released last night by the federal agents. He claims to be an American citizen.

The attorneys told Judge Anderson that American citizens taken in the raids were denied the right of counsel or permission to see friends and were brutally treated.

INVALID PROVES ABILITY TO DEFEND HIMSELF

YOUNGSTOWN, Jan. 8.—Michael Wickelich, who quarreled with Paul Sage, a Chicago invalid, found the Sage man an unexpectedly active opponent, according to a report made to police today. Sage hit Wickelich with a beer bottle, fracturing his skull, and hospital officials say he will die.

Discover New Star

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 8.—Harvard astronomers have discovered another new star in the skies. Its position is right ascension 18 hours, 49 minutes, 59 seconds; declination plus 29 degrees 53 minutes (1900).

DEMOCRATS READY TO MEET REPUBLICANS IN HONORABLE COMPROMISE, SAYS HITCHCOCK

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—With few exceptions Democratic senators are willing to meet Senate Republicans in a reasonable compromise on the peace treaty, Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, administration leader, said today in a letter to H. M. Washington, of Boston, which he had placed in the Congressional Record.

The letter was a reply to a resolution adopted by the Roosevelt Club, of which Mr. Washington is vice president, urging President Wilson and Democratic leaders in congress to make a compromise which would bring about immediate ratification of the treaty.

"I beg to assure you," wrote Senator Hitchcock, "that Democratic senators generally with probably two or three exceptions, are ready to meet Republican supporters of the treaty half way in an honorable compromise of differences. I beg to say, however, that so far as can be ascertained, there are not over a dozen or 13 Republican senators who have shown any desire to take this course. The others continue to hold with Senator Lodge that the resolution which he presented and which received only 41 votes represents an irreducible minimum in treaty ratification so far as they are concerned."

"In a reasonable compromise of existing differences on reservations, I feel justified in saying that of the 40 votes necessary, the Democratic senators will be able to furnish more than two-thirds."

USE U. S. SHIPS TO REPATRIATE TROOPS FROM VLADIVOSTOK

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—American ships furnished by the shipping board will be used to repatriate Czechoslovak, Polish, Jugoslav and Rumanian troops now in Siberia, it was announced today at the state department.

The first of the vessels, the President Grant and the America, soon will leave New York for Vladivostok, where they will be due about February 10.

These vessels will more about 10,000 of the troops and it is expected that the movement then will continue at the rate of 10,000 monthly until it is completed. The cost of America's participation in the repatriation will be taken out of out of loans made by the United States to the foreign governments whose soldiers are involved.

Repatriation of these troops will be under the direction of Brigadier General Hines chief of the army transport service, and will be one of the last big military operations of the war.

Officials said it would discharge an obligation to these troops on the part of the United States and the allies for the part they played in the struggle against Germany. The Czechoslovakians originally were part of the Austrian army but being friendly to the German idea of world domination, deserted in a mass to the Russian armies early in the war.

The Czechoslovakians began a withdrawal eastward through Russia and Siberia with the purpose of reaching Vladivostok. It was proposed to send them to France to fight against Germany. They had great difficulty in effecting their withdrawal because of the disorganization of the country and frequent interference by the Bolsheviks and armed German and Austrian prisoners of war.

It was to help extricate these forces from their precarious positions that American and other allied troops were dispatched to Siberia last summer.

Will Confer With Clemenceau

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Premiers Lloyd George and Nitti left this morning for Paris, where they will confer with Premier Clemenceau of France.

A. J. Balfour, former secretary of state for foreign affairs, A. Bonar Law, government leader in the house of commons, and Earl Carson, secretary of state for foreign affairs, were members of the party.

Vittorio Scialoja, Italian foreign minister, with his staff, accompanied Premier Nitti.

STEEL STRIKE CHIEFS MEET

PITTSBURGH, PA., Jan. 8.—The national committee in charge of the steel strike assembled here today, and went into session behind closed doors in a hotel.

Co-operative Production, Buying And Distribution Plan Of Rwy. Employees

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Organized railway employees have started on the other end of the line in an effort to solve the problem of the high cost of living. Unable to obtain relief thru additional wage increases, which one of the chiefs said were invariably followed by increases in living costs, the four big railroad brotherhoods and the affiliated railway shop crafts have adopted a scheme to escape the profits of the middleman by a system of co-operative buying, production and distribution of the necessities of life.

Plans for the co-operative movement were laid at the former-labor conference at Chicago in November and, although they are in a tentative state, a definite course of action is expected to be adopted at a second conference called for February 12-15 at Chicago.

This proposal calls for an alliance between farmers and laborers to create direct dealing between farm producers and city consumers and between city producers and farm consumers.

This latest move on the part of the railway organizations was taken in some quarters to indicate that the railway men would weaken their pressure on the railroad administration for increased pay.

BREWERS SEEK INJUNCTION

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 8.—An injunction to restrain federal officials in Rhode Island from interfering under the national prohibition amendment, with "the manufacture and sale of non-intoxicating malt beverages" was asked in three bills of complaint filed in the United States district court here today.

The actions were brought by Michael J. Lyons, in behalf of the James Hanley Brewing company, Narragansett Brewing company and Providence Brewing company. United States Attorney Harvey A. Baker and the collector of internal revenue, George F. O'Shaughnessy, were named as defendants.

The eighteenth amendment, the bill asserts, is "wholly null and void" and Article 2 of the Federal act for the enforcement of constitutional prohibition is declared to be "unconstitutional and beyond the power of the federal government to enforce." The bills attack that it arbitrarily and oppressively defines and classifies as intoxicants liquors which are not in fact intoxicating and because in so doing it is not appropriate legislation to enforce the prohibition amendment, the publication of which "are expressly confined and limited to intoxicating liquors."

PROVINCE UNDER MARTIAL LAW

MADRID, Jan. 8.—A state of siege has been proclaimed throughout the province of Catalonia. The minister of the interior declared today that Barcelona was calm and confirmed reports that more than 200 arrests had been made in consequence of recent riots.

Leaders of the radicals there had disappeared, he said. He added that the government intended to order the termination of the boycott recently declared in Barcelona, which has been keeping 100,000 persons out of employment.

WILL ACCEPT ONLY LIBERTY BONDS AS BAIL

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—"Farmer Bob sheriff," who is raising a fund to assist comrades held on deportation proceedings will have to insist in liberty bonds in order to get their friends out on bail. The authorities at Ellis Island announced today that offers of cash bail had been refused since the island had no facilities for holding large sums. A surety company had refused to supply bonds even against adequate cash security on the ground that it did not care to add enemies of the country.

The immigration authorities, however, will accept liberty bonds and release men on bail as well as their preliminary hearings before inspectors are completed.

OFFICERS AS LABORERS

VIENNA—Forty officers of the old Austrian army, ranging in rank from lieutenant to colonel, have been ordered to work as laborers in wood shops at the camp at 40 crores a day. One major remarked that it was better than starting.

LEADING CAMPAIGN FOR INDEPENDENCE OF THE PHILIPPINES



Prof. Maximo M. Kalaw.

Prof. Maximo M. Kalaw, head of the department of political science in Philippine University, has arrived in Washington to launch a new public campaign in this country for the purpose of persuading the government that the Philippine Islands are ready for independence and should receive it from congress.

Prof. Kalaw was secretary of the mission that visited the U. S. last spring in the interest of independence for the islands.

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EXCHANGE OF RATIFICATIONS SATURDAY

PARIS, Jan. 8.—The exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty with Germany will take place on the coming Saturday, January 10, it now seems certain. The supreme council today fixed this date for the ceremony and decided that it should be held in the French foreign office.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—San Francisco was selected today by the Democratic national committee in session here, as the place for the party's 1920 national convention.

After 27 votes had been cast, Kansas City and other cities withdrew and the vote for San Francisco was unanimous.

Monday, June 28, was fixed as the convention date.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—Resolutions endorsing the treaty of Versailles and denouncing as unpatriotic the attitude of senators who would defeat it directly or by nullifying reservations were unanimously adopted today by the Democratic National Convention in session here.

The "arrogant" Republican leadership of the senate was denounced as having earned the "contempt of the world" by throttling the treaty for seven months and the senate was called upon to "quit playing politics" with the question of ratification.

Reviewing the legislative record of the two Wilson administrations and the summer in which the war was won, the resolutions also expressed gratification that the president was regaining health after a breakdown "due largely to his efforts for world peace."

The resolutions were adopted at the committee's quadrennial meeting to select a time and place for the 1920 convention.

Concerning the peace treaty the resolutions said:

"We affirm our approval of the treaty of Versailles and we condemn as unwise and unpatriotic the attitude of those senators who would defeat its ratification, either directly or by overhauling it with reservations that are intended to, and will have the effect of nullifying it."

"The failure of the senate republicans to offer or to permit consideration of interpretative resolutions that would preserve the general purpose of the treaty and so permit its ratification condemn them to the criticism of the nation and to the contempt of the world."

The resolutions praised the federal reserve and the farm loans banking systems and claimed credit for the party in giving labor a fair showing and the people the right to elect United States senators.

Referring to the avowed objects of the country's participation in the war the resolution continues:

"A treaty to this end was negotiated and for seven months it has been thrashed by the misused republican leadership of the senate that is so arrogant that even it refuses to let the senators of its own party, who desire to have the treaty ratified with certain reservations that seem reasonable to them, to vote accordingly, and thus to make at least a start toward world peace."

As a result, the resolution said, "conditions are unsettled, a definite proclamation of the end of the war is delayed." It declares that had the treaty been ratified "with reasonable provisions, the world would not be engaged in the fruitless work of reconstruction."

"We join," said the resolution, "the demand of the people of the country and of its agricultural, industrial, commercial and business organizations of America that the senate nullify politics with this sacred question and give to the world the world that America is ready to at least make a trial for universal peace. We remind the infernal suggestion that having joined our associates in war that is now leading them to close, we are to withdraw and leave them to a merciless fate in order that we might maintain a so-called traditional state of 'isolation' that we are unprepared to defend and to the aid of struggling humanity."

"If this is to be our attitude, then the 50,000 Americans who now sleep in France gave up their lives in vain and the 200,000 more who willingly offered their lives for the cause that called us there, have a right to ask for what were they summoned to the colors?"

Clark Howell, of Georgia, was appointed chairman of the resolutions committee, with A. R. Tildon, Washington; John Gary Evans, South Carolina; Senator Baughman, Delaware; and Patrick H. Quinn, Rhode Island, as committee members.

There were a number of absentees, both in the ranks of the committee and of the women's associate committee when the gathering was called together by Chairman Howell's committee.

A committee was appointed to hear a request regarding the holding of primaries in the District of Columbia. It was composed of John W. Connelley, Massachusetts; E. F. Colton, Missouri; and R. H. Elder, Idaho.

A report from the National Association of Federal Employees for a statement of the attitude of the party on the government workers' demands for increased wages was referred to the committee on resolutions.

The committee voted that until the national convention made a definite decision members of the associate women's national committee in office during the tenure of officers of the present national committee.

The committee meeting which was expected to last most of the day, is to be followed tonight by a banquet declared by leaders to be the greatest of its kind in the party's history. A dozen speakers, representing various wings of the party and including most of those prominently mentioned for the presidency will voice their views on current issues and a letter from President Wilson, which is expected to contain an important message regarding party affairs, will be read. His committee have been closely guarded, but committee members expected it to touch on the peace treaty as a campaign issue and possibly outline the president's attitude toward a third term.

'SOVIET ARK' NEAR KIEL CANAL; RIGA SHIP'S GOAL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—The "Soviet ark," Buford, with its cargo of 249 radical aliens, is about to enter the Kiel canal, according to official dispatches received here today. While still refusing to disclose the destination of the ship, officials said "a very good guess might be ventured since passage through the canal has become known."

It was believed that the Buford would go to Riga, a port in Livonia to discharge its radicals for transportation across the country into soviet Russia.

So far as has been made known, regulations for the transportation of the radicals across one of the Baltic provinces adjacent to Russia have not been completed, and the government will await the outcome of the Buford's voyage before dropping any more radicals in Russia.

GALLI CURCI GETS DIVORCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The arid transport Buford which left here December 21, carrying Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and other deported radicals, is believed through wire less advice received here today, to be approaching the Kiel canal.

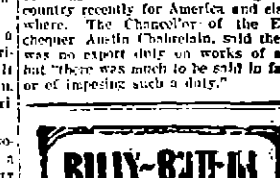
The last wireless message from the ship gave her position on January 6, as near the Atlantic end of the English channel.

The wireless gave no information of the ship, other than its position, which leads army officials here to believe that all is well on board.

ENGLAND LOSING ART

LONDON.—The House of Commons has been informed that large numbers of works of art have been leaving this country recently for America and elsewhere. The chairman of the Export Control Committee, Mr. Arthur Henderson, said there was no export duty on works of art but "there was much to be said in favor of imposing such a duty."

BILLY-BUT-TH



A little rain and a warm spell about this time of year, usually starts the flood tide of "barn" but a day or two of cold weather makes men forget it. (Thanks for comments.)

OHIO—Snow and colder in north, snow or rain in south portion tonight. Friday, local snows and colder.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 19; low, 22.

Columbia Tomorrow and Saturday

SPECIAL RETURN ENGAGEMENT OF

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THE MOST THRILLING STORY OF ALASKA EVER FILMED WITH

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SHE WAS QUEEN OF THE DANCE HALLS—A FAMOUS FIGURE IN THE FROZEN NORTH—FOR THE LOVE OF A MAN (A STRANGER); SHE REFORMED—SEE HOW AND WHY SHE REFORMED

See

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THE BEST AND MOST INTERESTING ALASKAN PICTURE EVER SHOWN IN PORTSMOUTH

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THEN THE COMEDY—"BACK TO NATURE GIRLS" 2 REEL COMEDY

COLUMBIA

TONIGHT ONLY

Robert Brunton



A White Man's Chance

by Johnston McCulley

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Indomitable, daring Donald Joseph Blenheim goes to sea to approve for his law firm to make their beautiful ward to marry.

Looks death in the eyes and comes up smiling; reveals the character of a plotting fiancé and marries the girl himself.

L. M. JOHNSON DETROIT

DON'T FORGET TONIGHT'S COMEDY

"BACK TO NATURE GIRLS"

ONE OF THOSE

GOOD SUNSHINE COMEDIES

Air Martha Goes To Jail For Thirty Days

The hearing of the Mahert Road in Squire McInnes' court at Boston last night, Martha Shreve testified on a charge of assault. Mary Dowdy on New Year's day, a magistrate sent her to jail for 30 days. In addition, he ordered her to pay a fine of \$10.

Similar charge against Botsa was dismissed, and Mary Dowdy and Bob Middleton were excused of the charges of larceny made against them in connection with the theft of the troublesome pig. After hearing the evidence, the court held that Mrs. Dowdy was the rightful owner of the "porker" and entitled to similar charge against Botsa.

Get Your Dog Tag

Warning issued yesterday by commissioners and Sheriff E. Ricker, given all dog owners a thirty-day notice to buy license tags. The officials declared in a notice, that those failing to comply with the law requiring the registration of all canines will be heavily penalized.

The tags are selling slowly. Auditor Roy Colburn having disposed of less than 500 up until yesterday, and the officials decided some drastic action will be necessary to secure a proper registration of all dogs in the county.

Mr. Clark III
Philip S. Clark has been in several days at his home on Second street.

ROUGH TEXTURE FACE BRICK

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Meets Girl On Street, Gets Beating From Brother As Sequel To Letter

In the arrest last night of Frank W. Cottle, 25 years old, a carpenter, police claim to have a solution to the mystery surrounding the sending of obscene letters to Miss Zola Newman, a young shoe-maker, of 517 Tenth street, during the last few weeks.

Cottle's arrest was brought about by a clever ruse employed by the girl's brother, Clair Newman, but not until the ruse had created a severe punishment at the hands of Newman and his friend, Ernest Mitchell, of 2124 Seventh street.

According to the story told the police by Clair Newman, his sister has been receiving letters of the most depraved sort for several days. The letters were always found under the front door and were unsigned, he said. Last night, another letter was found under the door. In this letter, so was

the possession of the police, the writer requested the girl to meet him last night on the Tenth street side of Tracy park.

Newman says he instructed his sister to fill the appointment, while he and his friend followed at a safe distance behind. They quickened their steps as the couple met at the appointed place, but Newman says the man broke and ran at their approach. "They gave pursuit and captured the fellow at Ninth and Gay streets, where they were in the act of giving him a beating when the police arrived, the call having been sent in by neighbors.

Cottle was placed under arrest by Chief Daniel, Captain Burdett and Officer Flowers and lodged in city

prison in default of \$100 bond to await a hearing in municipal court this morning. Police say the letter held as evidence against him is one of the most obscene that has ever come to their attention.

Cottle was arraigned in municipal court this morning and entered a plea of not guilty. Owing to the absence of City Solicitor Skelton, who was engaged in a case in common pleas court, the hearing was continued until tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The defendant obtained his release on \$100 bond, provided by his father, Arthur Cottle, of New Boston, who has engaged Attorney Luther Thompson to defend his son.

Mothers' Mass Meeting In Porter Township

It is almost inconceivable that out of 100 children, 96 are found with evidence of any physical defect—however slight it may be—deafness, tooth, bad teeth, or what not. But time it was found to be at an interesting meeting of Lower Porter Red Cross committee, Jan. 8th at Sciotoville. The needs of this township were discussed and it was thought necessary to educate the parents of school children to the fact that such an examination is most beneficial.

"No better thing can be done for Scioto county than to have a warning sent out to preserve the health of those healthy, or correct in time some of these defects discovered," agreed Prof. Red, R. Rhinhart and Mrs. A. M. Turner.

Arrangements were made for a Mother's Mass Meeting to learn why examination is done and to become acquainted with some important corrections that have already been effected for children in adjoining townships. Rev. Carroll Stewart is to be the first speaker at this meeting and will be followed by talks by the Red Cross health workers and Superintendent Reed.

Troy Jones, of the West Side, who suffered paralysis following a rifle bullet wound received by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his brother while rabbit hunting, is getting along nicely. He is paralyzed from his hip down. Jones is able to sit up in bed a little each day. The bullet lodged in the young man's spine, causing paralysis.

STRONG MEN AND WOMEN WIN OUT

In business, at work, or at home, you must "make good" or be a failure. The healthy red-blooded man or woman lacks every task fearlessly, with joy and the "pop" that wins.

Plenty of red blood, rich in iron and Phosphates, is needed if you would win in life's battle. One of our leading doctors has often remarked, "Life is full of needless failures, all because men and women do not keep their blood and nerves charged with rich iron and Phosphates; there is no excuse for the thousands of run-down, weak and nervous men and women when Phosphated Iron, the Red Blood and Nerve Builder, is within reach of all. It will bring back the joy of living and doing; give you rugged health, strength and restful sleep.

If you are all run down, weak, thin or nervous, Phosphated Iron will build you up and make you feel like a live man; it never disappoints. No matter what anyone says you owe it to yourself to take Phosphated Iron. Try it and note for yourself how after only a few days it increases your health and strength one hundred per cent.

Ask for Phosphated Iron Capsules, and be sure you get capsules. For sale by

Fisher & Streich Pharmacy and leading druggists everywhere.

LOSES TWO COAT'S IN TWO WEEKS

William Anarch is firmly convinced that his coat shirt is lost on any day above through the influence of the winter.

Two weeks ago his raincoat was stolen and yesterday his overcoat was stolen. He believes the same person got away with both coats.

Guests Were Forced To Flee From Burning Hotel

Relative to the fire at Kenora yesterday, the Huntington Herald Dispatch this morning said: "A hotel on Symphonie street, Kenora, conducted by William Parsley, and the adjoining residence of Miss Parsley and Henry Frazier, were destroyed by fire which broke out at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Twenty guests of the Parsley hotel were forced to make a hurried exit from the burning structure. The families in the one, conducted by William Parsley, and the adjoining residence of Miss Parsley and Henry Frazier, were do-

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The damage is estimated at \$12,000 and is probably covered by insurance.

What The Prosecutor Spent

From the expense fund of the prosecuting attorney there was expended during 1919 the sum of \$745.01, according to the statement of Prosecutor George W. Sheppard filed in the office of the county auditor yesterday.

Of the total sum expended from the fund \$622.60 was paid to Detective Fred J. Baker as salary and expenses for special investigations principally in the Dr. M. G. and Beatty cases. By an odd coincidence the state failed to get a conviction out of the trio of cases.

Grasshopper Eyes, Eyes induced by exposure to Sun, Heat and Wind, quickly relieved by Burt's Eye Drops. No itching, just Eye Comfort. At Your Druggist or by mail 60c per Bottle. For Bulk or the Free Free Write, Burt's Eye Drops Co., Chicago.

Made Payable To His Uncle

A policy of life insurance for \$10,000 taken out by William Pemberton, New Boston returned soldier and made payable to his sister Mary Luther Sciotoville as beneficiary, was changed and made payable to his uncle Henry Siltzer, of New Boston, under the terms of Pemberton's will executed a short time before his death which occurred on Dec. 23. The will which was filed yesterday for probate appoints Siltzer as executor.

To Initiate Big Class

The Portsmouth Lodge Independent Order of the Moose will meet in semi-monthly session this evening at the local lodge rooms, Third and Washington streets.

A number of new members will be initiated and the officers for the ensuing year will be inducted into office.

Here On Sad Errand

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb of Toledo are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends. They were called here by the death of the late Mrs. Harriet Webb. Mr. Webb is employed by La Salle and Koch of Toledo and holds a responsible position in this firm's big department store. He was for years employed as a clothing clerk in Portsmouth.

How Competition Helps You

The competition that exists among the hundreds of meat distributors, large and small, means

Rivalry in Prices
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HUNTINGTON HAS \$150,000 BLAZE

HUNTINGTON, Jan. 8.—Damage done by fire and water in the building destroyed last night, is placed at \$30,000, on a reproduction basis. This is covered by insurance of the Huntington Transfer & Storage company, 1027 Fourth avenue, this morning, is estimated as in excess of \$150,000.

Furniture belonging to 250 patrons, stored in the building, constituted one of the principal items of damage. The damage to the transfer and storage company building, owned by Julius

burned, but were insured. Principal stockholders of the transfer and storage company are: L. A. Rosenfield, Thomas Jube and C. J. Bulley.

Officers Installed

Previous Lodge K. of P. held a running good meeting Tuesday night with a very large attendance. Virgil Rose and Clarence Elgar were initiated in the lodge rank.

The newly elected officers were installed by Lodge Deputy D. E. Ross, Chancellor Commander, Frank Geiger; Vice Chancellor, John Fritts; Prelate, Fred T. Hise; Master at Arms, G. G. Cramer; Master of Work, Theo. Baum; Master of Exchequer, Floyd Lawson; Master of Records, E. M. Brady; Keeper of Records and Seal, John Newman; Inner Guard, Carl Davis; Outer Guard, Joseph Ross.

The Lodge has quite a number of new applications and will have work in the Equine Rank next Tuesday night.

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Yours Truly,
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924 Walnut St., Portsmouth, Ohio.

The Reese Formula R-11 will benefit you in the same way as it did Mr. Allen. If you suffer from rheumatism, indigestion, sleeplessness, backache, urinary or stomach, liver and kidney trouble. Get a bottle today at Fisher and Streich Pharmacy or your own druggist if it fails to give you relief your money will be refunded.—adv.

J. J. Davidson Honored By Local Checker Club

Eight checker players enjoyed the annual meeting and banquet held by the Fulton County Checker Club last night, the meeting being held in the ball room in the Masonic Temple and the banquet which followed, at the Victory Cafeteria.

At the reorganization and election of officers, J. J. Davidson was elected president for this year. Dr. F. M. Stewart, Sciotoville, was elected vice-president, Lester Flinn, secretary and Martin Clark, treasurer.

The club's invitation for all checker players to enjoy the evening with them, covered too large a territory for a traveling man. A. R. Dosselt by name, happened to see the notice in the Times and went to the meeting. He gave the local men a splendid entertainment, for he proved to be a checker and played rips around the board.

SPANISH SWINDLE BOBS UP

MAURID—The "Spanish Swindle" has shown its head again. A man has been indicted with letters from a dying prisoner, persecuted by political enemies, only able to communicate with the outside world through the kindness of a prison chaplain. The writer of the letter claims relationship with the person addressed and explains that a valuable containing valuable has been concealed outside of Spain; the contents to be left to an only daughter and an American relative.

Should the American reply, he later receives a letter from "the chaplain" stating that the prisoner is dead and that a certain sum is required to release the mysterious relic. Fortunately when the correspondence reaches this point the "American relative" usually becomes cautious and as a result the case is dropped.

The swindlers can leave their offices in Madrid and the consulates throughout Spain have a flood of correspondence on the subject.

In other cases, the victim takes the bait without question and parts with his money, or even worse still goes to the expense of traveling to Spain to pay the required sum to release the relic and claim his share of the contents.

In the latter case the swindler is generally brought to book for the Spanish police are on the lookout and the presence of a stranger looking for local relatives arouses their suspicions.

Recently an American arrived in Madrid with a certified check to claim his share of the prisoner's estate. The Spanish police put him in prison until he could be convinced that he had been the victim of a clever swindler. It took all the eloquence of an American consul to do this and induce the man to return home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown to us during the recent death of our loved one, Orville May Browning. Especially do we thank the B. L. and E. 591, the order of Rebekah, the Woodmen Circle, the Local Benevolent of the First Christian Church, and all who sent flowers. We also thank Rev. Oakley for his beautiful hymns and Mr. Roy Lynn for the way in which he conducted the funeral.

His wife, Mrs. Mary Browning, Parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and Family, and Mrs. Rivers and Family.

WITH THE SICK

There is no change in the condition of Frank Seifelski, Sr., who continues seriously ill at the home of his son, Edward of Findlay street.

At Steel Plant
Edward Fisher, of Mill street, has taken a job in the Whiteaker-Gleason plant.

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RAPS STATE EMPLOYMENT

COLUMBUS, O.—The state has passed many forward looking laws and yet requires its own employees to work under conditions for which its own inspectors would severely censure a private owner," says Gaylord C. Cummins, expert for the legislative committee on administrative reorganization in his report to the committee on conditions found at the state blind building here.

Cummins says the blind is a fire trap, unsanitary and undignified in every respect for the uses to which it is put. His report also recommended the abolition of the state printing department and the printing commission, which passes on all printing for state departments. He thinks, he says, if each department were required to pay for its own printing out of its own funds, there would be less tendency to get out reports "for personal publicity purposes."

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MUST TREAT 'EM KINDLY
TOKIO—Dr. Mizuno, director of administrative affairs of the Korean government-general told the Seirankai party the other day that to regard the Koreans as uncivilized and ignorant people and merely bring pressure upon them as such for administrative purposes was by no means a timely policy adopted to the existing state of affairs. It was of vital importance, he said, to treat the Koreans with kindness and benevolence and guide them to progress and development.

But as to the independence movement advocated and carried on by a section of the Koreans, he declared that such a movement must be suppressed by decisive measures.

Back From Cincinnati
"Buddy" Molster, of Front street, has returned from a visit to friends in Cincinnati.

IF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE
would spend a little more time and money looking after their health they would save a great deal of money in liver trouble, constipation, just spend 25c and get a 30-day treatment of Dr. Buck's Kidney Pills. It will be the best investment you can possibly make.—adv.

WHY HE LIKES YANKS' STYLE

SANTIAGO, CHILE—"Why I am a Yankophile" is the subject of an article contributed to Gutierrez Noticias by a Chilean who has visited the United States. Some of the reasons he gives for liking the United States are:

Because when a person falls down nobody laughs.

When in the street a person steps on another's toes, they do not insult each other.

The sleepers can leave their doors open on the doorstep.

People keep in line at ticket offices and have respect for each other's place in the line.

Everybody takes a bath.

People have only one surname.

There is profound respect for the police.

The public fear the police and not the police the public.

The people know how to walk in the streets, always passing to the right and they do not stop to talk.

There is only "first class" on railroad trains and special cars for smokers.

Drunkards in that country are an extinct species.

The nurse doesn't make the man, but the man the nurse.

It is a sign of ill breeding not to respect the opinions of others. (There are two hundred religions in that country.)

Youths of 18 are in the universities, and not in the stock exchange or saloons.

Democracy co-exists with the government.

VIRGIN ISLANDERS MYSTIFY U. S. MARINES

ST. THOMAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS—United States Marines parading these new possessions of Uncle Sam cannot understand the fastidious affectations of the natives. Why a negro or Chinaman should wear an overcoat when the thermometer stands at 100 in the shade mystifies them.

For some strange reason the native Virgin Islanders believe in wearing every article of clothing he can lay hands on. All American holidays are now celebrated by the natives, who spend the day parading about the streets, some of them wearing overcoats, capes, two or more pairs of trousers and a red bandanna handkerchief about the neck. Also they frequently adorn themselves with the horns of cows or even attached to the head just in front of the ears.

Alaska's Mineral Output Smallest in Years

WASHINGTON—Alaska's mineral output in 1919 was the smallest of any year since 1910 and its value was less than half that of 1916, preliminary estimates of the geological survey made public today show. The output for the year brought only about \$18,500,000 as compared with \$25,235,000 in 1918 and \$45,000,000 in 1916.

The decline was attributed principally to the reverting of the copper industry to normal conditions as a result of the fall in the price of the metal since 1916, when the war demand greatly stimulated production. High operating costs also caused a depression in gold mining.

Eight copper mines were operated in Alaska in 1919, producing about 41,000,000 pounds valued at \$5,500,000. The production in 1918 was 22,500,000 pounds, valued at \$11,000,000. The value of the annual output of gold declined from \$18,700,000 in 1918 to \$5,000,000 in 1919.

Alaska still contains large reserves of so-called "free" minerals that can be mined profitably when transportation conditions are improved, the report said, adding that the most important of the year for the future in mining in Alaska was the completion of the work on the government railroad and the assurance by congressional action of the money needed to complete the line.

"The test and deeper steamboat service on both coasts of the river, are also imperative," the report said. "More over, the railroad must be supplemented by trails and wagon roads."

As by-product to gold and copper mining, 350,000 ounces of silver and 800 tons of lead were mined during 1919.

The value of the gold mined in Alaska from the territory of the previous years in 1919 to 1919 was placed at \$437,600,000.

Mexico Sends Expedition Against Pirates

MEXICO CITY—Pirates, buccanniers and marine freebooters story-book men in high leather boots who wear terrible caps and carry huge swords, are not all dead. A number of them have been found on small islands off the west coast of Mexico and President Carranza has dispatched from Mazatlan a naval expedition equipped for two months service with the object of routing the outlaws.

Travelers on the Pacific have told of large flocks of sea eagles and other birds of prey who swoop down upon the tramp vessels when occasion afforded and at other times capture in rump. Their beak and talons are the most inaccessible caves on lonely islands where it is said they have stored much valuable booty which at opportune moments they carry to the United States or South American ports. Most of their plunder is obtained from Mexico.

MADE GIFT TO BABIES

CLEVELAND, O.—A gift to the babies of the country was the contribution of Dr. Henry J. Gerstemberger to the Cleveland Community Chest during the campaign just closed and during which \$100,000 was raised for community relief and welfare work.

Dr. Gerstemberger's gift was a formula for the making of synthetic milk for babies, said to be the most like mother's milk of anything thus far produced. Dr. Gerstemberger is a professor of diseases of children at Western Reserve university.

The milk of cows has cow's milk as its base. It is modified by combination of vegetable and animal fats, including cocoa butter and cod liver oil. "It may be fed without modification to babies from birth to 12 months," the doctor said. "We have found that it absolutely eliminates rickets and marasmus due to improper feeding, but especially it is a food for well babies, one planned to keep them well."

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SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE—Mrs. Robert Stein of Jackson street who is ill remains about the same.

Miss Francis Balastreri of Main street entertained a party of friends at her home Tuesday evening honoring her cousin McKinley Johnson of Lamona, Cal. Music, dancing and games were the main diversions of the evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs. Beecher Balastreri, to the following guests: Misses Marjorie Cochran, Dorothy Schuman, Kathryn Sieg, Jane Bradford and Lorena Nagel and Messrs. Louis Kent, Paul Stedman, Bruce Pavey, Harold Walbright and the honored guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schob who have been making their home with her mother Mrs. L. Roseville of Woodland avenue have gone to Dayton where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Harvey Cottrell (nee Devoe Bender) was recently the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Bender of Harrison street.

Mrs. Adolph Rehs of Main street was the guest Wednesday of Mrs. Charles Smith of Harrison street.

Teacher Smith has returned to his studies at the Ohio University after several days visit with his mother Mrs. Anna Smith of Third street.

Mrs. T. Moore recently moved from Broadway street to the Bascom property on Clay street.

Mrs. Ellen Oiler of Clay street is suffering with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Hastings of Third street received word Wednesday announcing the birth of twins, a girl and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Bell.

FAMILY THEATRE
VIVIAN MARTIN
In The Most Pleasing Play
"LOUIIANA"

LONDON COMING TO AMERICA
TO HAVE PH ONE PROBLEMS SOLVED

LIMA, O.—London, England, is coming to the United States to have its telephone problems solved. London's phone service has been notorious and leading newspapers have been conducting agitation for a change for some time.

A consultation of British telephone experts recently visited Lima, Ohio to inspect a unique system installed there. Cleveland, Ohio, also sent a delegation and is considering adopting the same system known as the "auto-manual."

It is neither manual as the old system generally is, nor is it entirely automatic but combines it. It is claimed the advantages of both systems and eliminates their disadvantages.

Under the automatic system switchboard operators are employed, but the fast-paced switchboard, with its push and cords, is eliminated. Instead each girl sits at an individual desk with three instruments resembling adding machines before her.

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WAR VETERANS ASK FOR "CARRY-ON" CLUBS TO AID THEM IN LARGE CITIES

NEW YORK—Disabled war veterans in Boston, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Milwaukee, Detroit, Columbus, O., San Francisco, Denver, New Orleans and Minneapolis, handicapped for life and unable to move their hands free out the government allowance of \$50 a month during their vocational training, have written to the headquarters of the Carry On Association here requesting the establishment of Carry On Clubs in the cities named.

According to the promoters of the association which provides the wounded soldier with a good home, cooking food, laundry, dental and medical care, it is impossible to find a place for a disabled veteran in a large city. A dependent ex-serviceman is a week's money enough to keep up his war risk insurance and have some amusement beside. Since last April when the first experimental club was opened in New York at 35th street and Madison avenue, accommodations for men and women for rent, its work is well to have them great possibilities. The organization opened another New York club on Christmas Day and the week previously one a capacity for 150 men was opened in Washington.

The enterprise is said to have the approval of the American Legion which is reported raising \$50,000 in New Orleans for a "Carry On Club" there. Denver, with 3,000 injured tuberculosis cases, is also reported to be preparing for a club drive. Altogether there are between 250,000 and 260,000 disabled ex-servicemen in the United States.

The "bore" in the Carry On Club houses do much of the housework and enforce their own regulations. A life saving living room filled with ex-soldiers playing reading and singing or singing in the accomplishment of a photograph or place is the chief feature of the institution. One young ex-fighter said he gained 31 pounds in 30 days as a result of the good food and care he had received. The first club was formed, it was said because it was a place where a carefully compiled standard of life and an invalid young man might be able to live on \$50 a month in many parts of the country it was impossible to do so in a large city.

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Is compounded from a physician's prescription and has been successfully used for more than thirty years. Try it for your stomach.

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Celebrate Anniversary

Eighty couples enjoyed the dance and buffet lunch given last night by the Knights of St. George in honor of the 28th anniversary of the organization. The evening's entertainment was in the hall, Second and Court streets. A table for the dancing was furnished by the Musical Fire. Dancing was enjoyed from 8:30 until 12. The committee in charge consisted of J. J. Stelcher, Carrol Augustine, Al. J. Stelcher and Charles Albert.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Adin Sommer, who has been ill at her home on Fifth street, is improving.

Mrs. Valentine Roth of Third street, who has been ill with rheumatism for three months, is improving.

Going to Florida
R. S. Pritchard and Fred Rohman are planning to leave shortly for Florida, where they will spend a month.

Revives Box of Fruit
Mrs. Mary Schwaartz of 223 Third street, is in receipt of a box of fruit sent to her by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wadsworth of California. Mr. Wadsworth was for years employed as a draftsman and patternmaker by the Portsmouth Foundry and Machine company.

WAS NEW AXLE PLANT
CLEVELAND, Ohio—Within six weeks Cleveland is to have the second largest axle making company made by O. J. Eaton, its president.

The new company will be known as the Eaton Axle Company, will be incorporated with approximately \$5,000,000 of capital and a 15 acre site has been selected and construction of a \$1,000,000 plant will be started soon.

The chair of the Second Presbyterian church will meet for practice immediately after the service at the church Friday evening.

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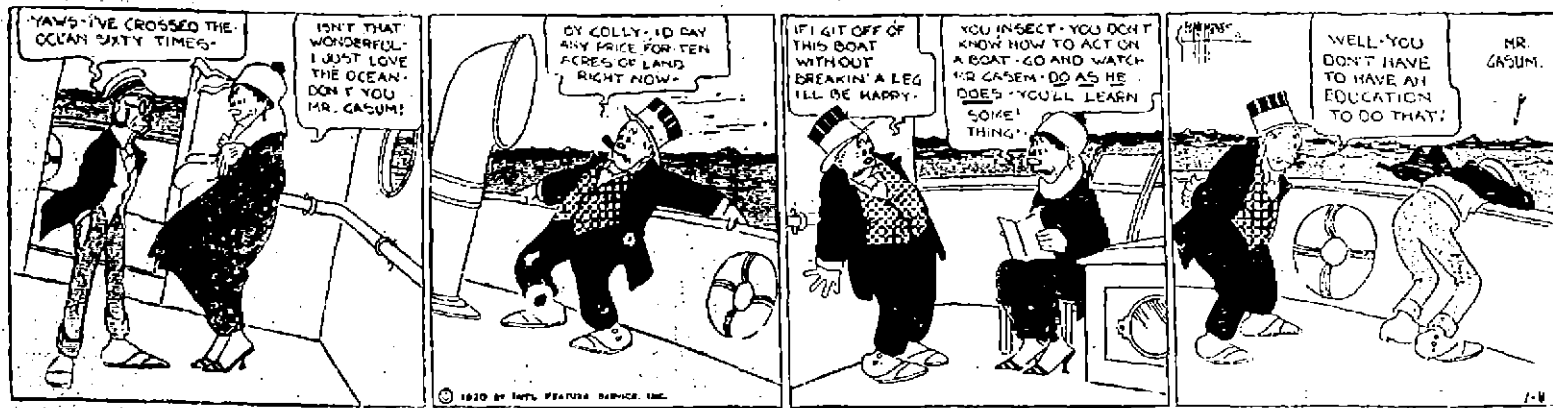
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BY GEORGE M. J. MANUS



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Municipal Garment Should Be Cut To Suit The Cloth

--MAYOR GABLEMAN

Complete co-ordination of the executive, legislative and judicial departments of the municipal government in an open book policy of administration of municipal affairs was urged by Mayor William N. Gableman in his message to City Council last night.

Mayor Gableman enunciated at the outset of his address a policy of cutting the municipal garment to suit the cloth and pledged his adherence to such a program throughout his term in office. He said that the first step in his effort to administer the affairs of the city as efficiently and economically as possible under the straitened financial conditions was sought to the end that the civic conscience of the city will be awakened to the necessity of relief for the poverty-stricken municipalities of the state.

Portsmouth in the list of its recommendations were the completion of the charges on the city and the completion of the flood defense system of the city and the completion of the flood defense system of the city.

the repaving of a number of its most important thoroughfares which have deteriorated from long usage. Particular suggestions for increasing the efficiency of the police and fire departments despite the shortage of funds in the Public Safety Department were also contained in the message.

Looking to the future, the new Mayor referred to improved transportation facilities, elevation of railroad tracks within the corporate limits, an improved riverside drive along the Ohio river, and annexation of contiguous territory to the west and east as projects which should command the highest consideration at the hands of the new administration from the outset of its tenure of office.

The Mayor's message in full follows: MR. PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

Public Safety, Public Service and the Public Health are the three direct charges on the city and the completion of the flood defense system of the city and the completion of the flood defense system of the city.

of office has always impressed me deeply and I am constrained to think that you gentlemen of Council share a similar feeling. It will be my scrupulous concern to see that those who share with me the administrative functions for which you gentlemen must provide, shall ever be sensible to the obligations which they have assumed.

I am dwelling upon these matters for a two fold purpose: First, because during my former experience in the city's service I found our people were generous in their approval and support of their officials when courtesy, energy and open book methods prevailed. In the second place, I firmly believe that restricted though we may be for financial reasons, we show a sense and courage of spirit, we are going to find our problems lightened by a quickened civic spirit among our citizenship.

Urges Completion of City's Flood Defense

For our public safety, the one outstanding desire of Portsmouth is the completion of the flood defense. None of us have forgotten the experiences of 1907 and 1913 and it is to be hoped that some means may be devised to complete this belt of safety to the eastern limits. We know that the steel industries here and the railroads with their unlimited facilities can erect for their own flood protection, but what of the gap remaining from the Lawrence River outlet into the Ohio which for good measure I frankly admit is the only gap in our belt of safety? I am of the opinion that our debt limitation makes the task a prohibitive one if undertaken solely by the city, but the railroads and industries, like cities, are no stronger than the people who make up their personnel, and

SWITCH IN COMMITTEES MADE WHEN NEW COUNCIL ORGANIZES

Disaffection among Republican politicians over the selection of the new majority member of City Council, Edward Westphal, as member of the important Committee on Finance, is said to have been responsible for a complete change in the committee assignments agreed upon at the council caucus last Monday night.

The Republican members held another secret caucus just prior to the first regular meeting of the body last night and formulated a new slate of committee assignments said to have been insisted upon at a meeting of the Republican club on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Westphal was eliminated from membership on the Finance Committee and given a place on the Committee on Ordinances and Public Library, a committee which functions last of all committees of Council. His Republican friends in Council, however, were successful in substituting the name of B. T. Bennett as his successor on the Finance Committee instead of Howard Hunsman. The organization selection for the place, although the caucus proceedings were secret, it was learned that two of the Republican members insisted to the last that Westphal should retain his place on the committee because of his long experience in Council.

new slate ratified by Council in regular session later in its session, the first named on each committee being its chairman:

Finance—Osborn, Schirrmann, and Bennett.

Law and Order—Schirrmann, Osborn and Bennett.

Police—Fire and Markets—Bennett, Clutzel and Bennett.

Street Improvements—Bennett, Hunsman and Westphal.

Light and Water—Clutzel, Schirrmann and Westphal.

Railroads, Telephone, and Telegraph—Westphal, Weghorst and Clutzel.

Ordinances and Public Library—Weghorst, Osborn and Westphal.

Election of Albert Weghorst as President Pro Tem and the selection of City Auditor J. Earl Chandler as clerk completed the organization. Geo. W. Vandivort, the new president of Council presided.

The only legislation enacted was the ordinance creating the separate municipal health district for Portsmouth in accordance with the provisions of the Hughes health act, enacted by the Ohio legislature.

The ordinance was passed by a vote of 10 to 2. It is effective immediately, since Portsmouth has been without a health administration since January 1.

Although apparently a new plan, the ordinance effects little, if any change in the administration of local health measures.

It provides for the appointment of five members of the board of health by the Mayor, subject to confirmation of Council. The appointments at first are to be made for one, two, three, four and five year terms, but thereafter one appointment is to be made annually for a term of five years. They are to serve without compensation, the Mayor to be President ex-officio.

An adjourned meeting of Council will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock to confirm the appointments of a Health Commissioner, secretary and planning inspector is expected at the first meeting of the new board.

The first message of Mayor Gableman, published elsewhere in this issue, was listened to intently by the members of Council and the large gallery present. Upon motion of Mr. Osborn, it was received and filed with instructions to the clerk to file the recommendations with the proper committees.

Service Director Gergens was authorized to rent two rooms in the Turkey building temporarily for the use of the City Engineer who was crowded out of his old quarters by the municipal court. The arrangement will continue until spring when the cottage to the west of the city building also owned by the city is to be vacated for use of the City Engineer and the Safety Director.

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A group of high grade misses' and women's coats of silvertone, tinseltone, velours, etc., full lined with fine silk, some are trimmed with large fur collars of natural racoon or sealine. Worth up to \$59.50. Clean Up Sale Price **\$45.00**

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A group of fifty handsome velvet hats in large and small shapes beautifully trimmed. \$5.00 and \$6.00 values. Your choice for **\$1.98**

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In a pleasing selection of the season's most wanted modes. In order to close out all our winter hats and make room for spring styles we offer these at a remarkably low price of **\$3.98**

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Children's bleached union suits, medium weight, all sizes from 4 to 12, 95c value. Special **69c**
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406 Chillicothe Street **THE ATLAS CO.** Where Women Go

sm sure that whatever aid the private corporations might lend toward making Portsmouth flood-tight, and her people secure would be reduced with benefit many fold to these big employers of labor. Here, then, is a suggestion for our new and alert Chamber of Commerce to unite the municipal and private corporations in this practical worthy enterprise. Along with this plan should go the proposition of enclosing Lawrence Run as a trunk sewer, and re-limiting the land contiguous to the railroads for factory sites and the balance for homes for which Portsmouth proper stands in such great need.

A comprehensive plan and a wonderful idea, it is true, but it is a plan that would be the real step to some of its older streets, Chillicothe street, Second to Eleventh, Second street, Musie to Union, Galia street, Chillicothe to Eleventh, and Eleventh, Chillicothe to Galia, ought to be repaired. Some of this paving has been done for their years and has extended the life expected of it. This is a brick center and this paving should be of brick. With the improved methods of the present time, these new streets would last twice as long as those they would be replacing. And while this is being done, owners of the abutting property should enclose the sidewalk and every foot of material used is of the best grade. So that when the country miles of brick highways have brought the tourist into Portsmouth on these main city arteries, his impression of one of our leading national products would be of the most favorable and lasting sort. I realize that this may not be satisfactorily accepted by the city plan for re-paving of the street car lines are consummated, and until the hill top belt line has been connected up. But no time is better than the present for the completion of these details. I would like to see the Council and the civic organizations unite upon the proper plan for such a program.

Departments Should Be Organized

Referring again to the safety of our citizens, I am frank to urge that both our police and fire departments should be reorganized fairly soon. It is almost a travesty upon good taste to urge that right policemen and clerical men can properly protect the lives and property of a community of some 40,000 people. Yet I confess that I do so, for at this time when the city is so vulnerable, it is a duty that we cannot ignore. Here again, we may have to go to our business friends who seem eager for the public good, and if one of them has a private watchman and another a system of private fire protection, exist all of them as our auxiliary public servants. It would not be their efficiency for those who are primarily employed to have them co-operate with the city's safety department, but on the contrary I believe would make for the mutual advantage of both the city and the individuals who privately serve.

Next to the street paving and flood protection, the principal functions of the service department is to provide safety for the citizens, sewer and sanitary measures generally. For this, it seems hard to realize that a progressive city like Portsmouth will have to spend more than was possible some eight or ten years ago. However, what is spent must be expended judiciously and throughout the entire year. If it is possible to sweep a street but once a week, where for hazard it could be cleaned twice, the public must realize the cause and by economical management, the property owner should not be the example by doing something for himself. It is a fact that in a great many of the cities of the state, such as Chillicothe, street cleaning, dusting, lighting and other like benefits are carried on by the assessment plan. It is to be hoped that we may not have to resort to this method here to pay our bills. But it is well for our public to know that we are trying to give them some direct benefit of their tax money, even though it is not the full extent we would wish.

My friends, I have touched only upon what I have deemed the urgent practical problems of our city government. It would not be amiss to briefly review what ought to be our civic ideals. This being a working people's community, I believe the measures that would make for their convenience and contentment ought to be first and foremost. Our big industries being a considerable distance, I feel that the transportation problem at times is a most exasperating one. I would like to see the steam railroad tracks elevated and run through the city and the car lines given unrestricted passage to and from the residences. I would like to see an improved roadway for low to flood wall extension east and west to West avenue, New Beeline, Lawrence Run viaduct. We have never fully awakened to the possibilities of a river drive along the beautiful Ohio. When, too, the entire district is covered with improved streets, and sewage built upon the assessment plan, for this is the only fair and equitable system and roadway is so much or is hard of hearing, should be recognized by the city as a property given the treatment a trial.

owners. Practically everyone is agreed that New Boston should be a part of Portsmouth, and not only this, but that our city limits should embrace West Portsmouth with a raised roadway and a levee line to the city proper. The water bounding the city should be the Portsmouth levee. Has it ever occurred to you that anyone of these large industries that are dropping down unannounced in Ohio cities would have to go far out to the elbow room, should one of them decide to come to Portsmouth?

Employment Need of New Court House

The proposition of elevated railroad tracks might call for new plans for a station which would be centrally located than the one formerly announced and more available to both main street car lines. And while we are on the subject of new and modern buildings, let us not overlook the need of a new and modern court house and city buildings. Ten years ago, visions like these would have started the private old ladies of Portsmouth, but we are no longer old ladies. This is the year 1920 and our next people now talk in terms of dollars while that of a generation ago talked in terms of "the City that Does" ought to be able to speak in relative terms.

CUT THIS OUT

Old English Recipe For Catarrh, Catarrhal Discharge and Head

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrhal Discharge, head noises or ordinary catarrh cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer from total deafness. In England, scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Sprays, inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs which is equally as dangerous. The following formula which is used extensively in the top English climate is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climatic conditions.

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Eucalypti (double strength). Take this in a glass of water and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar and mix thoroughly. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing catarrh. Chopped nostrils should be breathing because easy and bearable. It is liable if not then only to the thing improve.

infection in the nasal passages unless a reduced. Paraffin used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous membrane of the nose, and the whole action of the paraffin is to obtain the desired results. The paraffin is easy to make, and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh or head trouble should have this treatment a trial.

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Reverting to the strictly practical matters of administration, my final word to Council at this time is that collectively or individually its members will always find the executive department anxious and willing to cooperate and plan for best methods of city government. I want this to be true of every function of the administrative branch of our government. If your questions or suggestions concern the service or safety departments, these should be at your call. It is a problem of engineering, writer works, remedy or hospital management, there ought to be full and free interchange of counsel or opinion. Finally, let me take the people into our confidence in all these matters, for after all our commissions are from them and it is to them we should give and accounting of our stewardship.

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Tom Allen, the hard riding, hard fighting, William Fox star, will be seen on the screen of the Strand tonight in his latest photoplay entitled "Fighting for Gold." The various critics who have viewed this picture at advance showings have pronounced it just about the best thing that Allen has done in his career. And that is saying considerable when all is done with saying for this fearless Fox star has given some mighty fine pictures to the public during the last year or so.

J. Warren Kerrigan with Lillian Walker in "A White Man's Chance" is the Big Attraction at the Columbia tonight. This is the first time that the noted shadow stage hero is seen in a novel role, but as a matter of fact he is first seen as a young American lawyer, Donald Joseph Bingham. It's a matter of course that Bingham is a character of considerable humor and wit.

At The Arcana Today
Bryant Washburn, the star in comedy drama features, is the attraction here tonight. He is to be seen in the feature production entitled, "All Women." This story is a dandy and Washburn plays the leading role in a most pleasing manner. He takes care of the comedy situations splendidly.

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one of the features coming to the Arcana as Manager Potts has booked a number of Paramount photoplays. George Beban is the star in this feature. "Jules of the Strong Heart" is a play of the frozen northwest, one of those plays all like to see with a good story holding your interest all the way through.



William S. Hart Comes to the Temple Tonight in His Latest Picture, "The Money Czar."

So much has been said of this picture as interpreted by the greatest director of Western pictures before the public today that it hardly seems worth while to bring it to the attention of the public again.

THEATRICAL

At The Sun
For the last two times tonight, there will be presented at the Sun theatre the second musical comedy gem in the repertoire of the Virginia Belles, the best organization of its kind that has come to Portsmouth thus far this season, and the future super-spectacular production of "The Father's Will," starting tonight June 15th. Tonight, however, there will be a complete change of the big double program of two complete shows for the price of a single admission.

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WOMEN ASK SOME SHARP QUESTIONS

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Feature at the Arcana Tomorrow
Friday Arcana patrons will get to see a Paramount feature on the screen, "Jules of the Strong Heart" is the title of this special number, one of the Jesse Lasky attractions. This is only

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Officers Installed

The sitting of the Royal Palace of Meenatum Temple No. 217 Dramatic Order Knights of Khorrassan Wednesday evening was notable.

The new officers were installed. Royal Prince Ed. Brebner, installing officer. They are: Royal Prince Fred A. Ross; Royal Vizier, Theo. Bauer; Grand Emir, S. B. Holman; Secretary, O. V. Correll; Treasurer, S. M. Miller; United L. E. Yeager; Setrap, Fred Larcamp; Sahib, Walter Stout.

The next ceremony will not be given until March. A ceremonial is rather an expensive affair even to Dookydom, who care little for expense, and hereafter classes of 101 will be the rule.

Plans are under way for a social and dance to be given soon.

Ray H. Duveneck, retiring secretary, was added to the royal family, he being elected to the exalted position of Royal Prince. Meenatum Temple now has six Royal Princes and about 250 other common ginks—going some for a lodge that still will not be one year old till next dog days.

Before the Divan arose a Times man was voted a box of fine cigars for Sunday night things he has been writing about wild-eyed, long-winded oratorical guys who make as many as twenty set speeches in a single sitting of the Palace. Thanks "Dokies." We didn't mean 'em. H. M. S.

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'The Awakening Church' Proves Attractive Theme

The fourth in the series of sectional prayer meetings arranged for their members this week by the First Presbyterian church will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. J. I. Marsh, 1522 Fifth street, at seven o'clock.

The pastor will speak on the theme: "The Church Awakened by a Revival of Faithful Religion." The special music will be in charge of Miss Florence Deller, who will be at the piano during the song service. Those members living south of Tenth street, and east of Union street will attend this service. A number in addition are anticipated who have already attended their own meeting, and wish to visit Mrs. Henrietta Matthews is chairman of the invitation committee.

Despite the weather difficulties last night, the "West End" meeting was a decided success. This kept some of the "Regulars" at home, but the hard work of Mrs. Peel and her committee, here ample fruit in bringing out a number who do not ordinarily get out to a mid-week service. The pastor's subject was: "The Church Awakened by a Revival of the World's Need." Mr. Boyd spoke with enthusiasm of the great meeting of the Inter-Church Federation now in session in New York with the tremendous purpose of meeting the world task, and urged that if the need be not met locally, in our own churches in Portsmouth, there will be little hope of it being met on a larger scale. During the evening a goodly number pledged themselves to attend church every Sunday for the months of January and February, and also to attend the mid-week services at least once each month during the year.

Mrs. Roy Lynn rendered a beautiful solo, "The Shepherd Kind and True," by Remond.

The final meeting of the series will come tomorrow night, and will be held at the home of Miss Florence Richardson.

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NOTICE TO NON RESIDENT DEFENDANT
Mary Crabtree, whose last known place of residence was Portsmouth, Ohio, and who will take notice that on the 1st day of December, 1919, Alva Crabtree, her husband, filed in the Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, a bill of divorce against her, and being a divorce from the said Crabtree, she is hereby notified to appear in the Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, on the 1st day of February, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer to the said bill of divorce, and to show cause why she should not be divorced from the said Crabtree.

The said case will be for hearing on and after the 1st day of February, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court of Common Pleas, Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

NOTICE
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We invite correspondence—Address: Question Bureau, 2831 Eleventh St.

Bible Study No. 2 AGES AND DISPENSATIONS

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In considering the below let us bear in mind what we learned in study No. 1, i. e. that the Scriptures clearly show that our planet is never to be burned or destroyed.

Question (1) Into how many great epochs, ages or dispensations is mankind's history, past, present and future, divided by the Bible? Ans.—Three.

Question (2) What are these dispensations called? Ans.—They are termed "Worlds" in the Scriptures.

Question (3) Does the word "World" when so used refer to the planet? Ans.—No, except in the sense that the Age or "World" is an epoch in the history of the planet's habitation.

Question (4) What period is covered by the first "World" or Age? Ans.—From the creation to the deluge, a period of 1656 years.

Question (5) What is this epoch called? Ans.—It is called "The World (Greek-Kosmos) that was." 2 Pet. 3:6. Also "The Old World." 2 Pet. 2:5.

Question (6) Did this "world" end? Ans.—Yes. It perished. 2 Pet. 3:6.

Question (7) Did the planet end? Ans.—It did not. Eccl. 1:4. Ps. 78:6. Isa. 109:30.

Question (8) Are we not living upon the same earth or planet as did Adam, Abel, Enoch, Noah and others before the flood? Ans.—Certainly.

Question (9) What period is covered by the second epoch or "World"? Ans.—From the deluge to the Second coming of Christ and the establishment of the Messianic Kingdom.

Question (10) What is this epoch scripturally styled? Ans.—The present evil world (Greek-Kosmos)—Gal. 1:4. 2 Tim. 4:10. Titus 2:12. Also referred to as "The World that now is."

Question (11) What period is covered by the third epoch or "World"? Ans.—From the time of the establishment of God's Kingdom (Matt. 6:10) into the everlasting future—Dan. 2:44. Micah. 4:7.

Question (12) How is this epoch scripturally styled? Ans.—It is referred to as "The World (Greek-Kosmos) to come." See Heb. 8:5. Heb. 2:5. Matt. 12:32. Also the "World (Greek-Kosmos) without end." Eph. 3:21.

Question (13) What signs are to mark the end of "The present world" and the dawn of the new era? Ans.—An increase of knowledge (not wisdom), men running to and from wars, famine, pestilence, Revolution, social unrest. "The elements (social, political, financial, religious, capital-labor and other elements of this "World") shall melt (disintegrate) with fervent heat (caused by friction) (See Dan. 12:4. Matt. 24:7, 21. Isa. 34:3, 5. 2 Pet. 3:12).

Question (14) What will be the result? Ans.—A new heaven (Power of Spiritual control) and a new earth (Society) with no more sea (restless dissatisfied masses)—Rev. 21:1. Isa. 66:1. Rev. 17:15.

Question (15) May we expect all to understand these evidences now? Ans.—No. See Dan. 12:10. 2 Pet. 3:2, 4.

Question (16) What are we as Christians admonished to do? Ans.—To study, and to RIGHTLY DIVINE God's word. 2 Tim. 2:15.

Question (17) How many know when we have rightly divided it? Ans.—The correct dividing or interpreting of it makes all Scripture harmonious.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The policy of the Federal reserve board regarding loans for speculative purposes was again a determining influence at the sluggish opening of today's stock market. Metal and food shares were the only leaders, especially oils and motors, displaying moderate heaviness. Rills were almost entirely neglected and class industrialists recorded fractional declines.

The only noteworthy changes during the dull morning were among obscure specialties of stocks in which an extensive short interest is said to exist. Foremost among these at gains of 1 to 3 points were Gulf States Steel, Bidwell Locomotive, American International, American Tobacco, securities and Columbia Gas. United States Steel was well supported, but oil, Mexican Petroleum excepted, remained under pressure.

Prospective credit restrictions and the absence of public interest continued to exert restrictive influences over the stock market today. Sales approximated \$30,000,000. The closing was irregular.

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American Beet Sugar 93 1/8.

American Car & Foundry 140 3/4.

American Locomotive 101.

American Smelting & Refg. 60 3/4.

American Tobacco 95 1/2.

American T. & T. 97.

American Copper 63.

Atchafalpa 54 1/2.

Baldwin Locomotive 117 5/8.

Baltimore & Ohio 32.

Beckwith & Co. 117 1/2.

Central Leather 103 1/2.

Chesapeake & Ohio 33 1/4.

Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 38 1/2.

Corn Products 60 1/2.

Cruible Steel 21 1/2.

General Motors 33 1/2.

Great Northern Ore. 39 7/8.

Goodrich Co. 82.

Int. Mer. Marine 110.

International Paper 84 7/8.

Kennecott Copper 35 1/4.

Mexican Petroleum 21 1/2.

New York Central 69 1/8.

Norfolk & Western 91 1/8.

Northern Pacific 60.

Ohio Cities Gas 43 1/8.

Pennsylvania 42.

Reading 75 3/4.

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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Fresh strength developed in the corn market today, influenced by demand from the seaboard and by anxiety of cars available to bring in rural supplies. Opening prices for wheat ranged from the same as yesterday's final 1 1/2 cent higher, with May at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 and July 1 3/4 to 1 3/4, were followed by material gains all around.

Oats hardened with corn. After opening, 1 1/4 up, including May at 34 3/4, the market sagged a trifle, but then ascended higher than before. Provisions were firmer owing to a jump in hog quotations.

CHICAGO GRAIN

(9:30)—Corn, Jan. 110; May, 130; July, 134.

Oats, May, 84 3/4; July, 77 3/4.

(10:30)—Corn, Jan., 141; May, 130 1/8; 131 3/4.

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Will Trade Hartley

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 8.—Grover Hartley, who managed the Columbus club of the American Association, a part of last season, will not be with the club this season. Hartley wrote President Tinker that in view of the fact that "Bill" Clymer has been appointed manager for the coming season he preferred to be traded.

Buys Yacht Of Emperor

ZURICH, Jan. 8.—(Herald)—A German sportsman has bought the yacht owned by former Emperor William of Germany, paying 2,000,000 marks for the craft. It is located here.

Big Sale For Fight

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GETZ SOLD
LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Jan. 8.—President E. G. Allen of the Little Rock baseball club of the Southern Association, last night announced the purchase from the Toledo club of the American Association of Speed Base, named Jake Getz, formerly with Boston and Brooklyn clubs of the National League.

PENNY ANTE



When You're Late



Will Discuss Fight Plans At Conference

SAN DIEGO, CAL., Jan. 8.—Details of the proposed match at the Juana Lower California, between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier for the world's heavy-weight championship, were to be discussed at a conference here today between Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager and James W. Coffey, promoter.

Coffey early today was without direct word from Dempsey, Carpentier's manager, that his terms had been accepted, but said he had called Charles J. Harvey, his agent in London, to get in touch at once with Dempsey and Carpentier and advise him of their plans.

Meantime, he is proceeding on the theory, he said, that Associated Press, which from Paris, to the effect that Dempsey had accepted his offer, were correct.

He said he expected to construct an arena at the Juana to accommodate a crowd of at least 80,000 and possibly 100,000.

BOWLING

TIMES WON ONE

Displaying wonderful team work and being three to the punch at all times, the Daily Times bowling team triumphed over the Solway Five at the Crystal Palace alleys last evening, not only taking two out of three games, but finishing 18 pins ahead of their adversaries.

The Times team was rolling together last night for the first time this year, but they came through with colors flying after a most disastrous start, when they dropped the first game by almost 100 pins. That the Times boys were game and equal to the emergency, as shown by the fact that despite the handicap thus placed upon them, they tossed it aside and went down the line like thoroughbreds, and then kept up their clip and delivered over the 500 mark in their last game.

The Times boys really believe they have a good team and they are going to go gunning for big game as soon as they have a little more practice. They did not let the alleys on fire with their brilliancy, but they showed conclusively that they have the stuff from which real teams are made and will be open to receive challenges within the next fortnight. Their try-out last evening was all they could expect and they showed gameness at all periods of play.

Sherridan was the best workman last night, totalling 519. Roberts was second with 480 and had the satisfaction of making high score, 211. Kelly was up to form but clipped along in fair style. Charley Flynn was fourth on the list, but had the satisfaction of striking out in his last game, and this made him feel like a two-year-old. Eddie Hotel brought up the rear, but kept going better as the evening wore on and finished with 153. Captain Quinn was high man for the Solways, getting 473. Kelly started out like a whirlwind and then subsided. His score of 197 was the best he ever made in a match, and he is going to have it framed. Sam was consistent, if not brilliant. The scores:

Team	Score
Times	519
Sherridan	480
Roberts	473
Kelly	473
Quinn	473
Hotel	473
Flynn	473
Sam	473
Totals	638 796 803 2097

Solways	Score
Rau	148
Kelly	148
Quinn	148
Hotel	148
Blind	148
Blind	148
Totals	725 685 809 2109

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Sherridan	50
Roberts	50
Kelly	50
Quinn	50
Hotel	50
Blind	50
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Totals	400 670 679 2049

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Selects Will Have Strong Team To Go Against Chillicotheans

The Selects will play their fourth game of the season on Saturday, Jan. 10th, when they look up with their old rivals the Chillicothe Athletic Club. These two teams have met every season and Chillicothe has always emerged on the short end of the score. However this year they send word that they have a real team, one that can shatter the hopes of the Selects and they will certainly have to show us their ability on Saturday night.

Included in the Chillicothe line-up is Curry, former star high school and college player. He holds down the pivot position and incidentally directs the team. O'Brien, former Ohio University man, is on one of the forward positions. Duesman and him played together on the freshmen O. U. team in 1918. Another well known athlete in the Chillicothe line-up is Crighthead, former star football and basketball player of Marietta College. The Chillicothe quintet, as a whole, is composed of a first bunch of men and should be able to make the Selects step some to the left.

Howard "P-T" Shoemaker, former P. H. S. football and basketball star, has been practicing with the Selects the past week. It is more than likely that he will break in the game Saturday night. He would strengthen the Selects wonderfully. The Selects held an enthusiastic practice Tuesday evening. The admission for the Chillicothe game will remain the same. Owing to the rivalry between Chillicothe and Portsmouth, it is expected a capacity crowd will witness this contest.

The Selects are at it trying to book a game with Huntington. They have not received any replies to their correspondence, but will keep after Huntington until they either play or back down. They would like to know whether it was stage fright or lack of material.

COMMISSION MAY SELECT NEW CHAIRMAN

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 8.—Election of a new chairman may be one of the results of the annual meeting of the national baseball commission here today. Presidents John Heydler, of the National League, and H. B. Johnson, of the American League, are in Cincinnati for the yearly conference with August Herrmann, the third member of the commission.

Under the terms of the national agreement, the chairman shall be elected annually by the presidents of the two major leagues, who are ex-officio members of the commission. Unless the two presidents agree there can be no election.

In view of opposition to Herrmann, he has repeatedly signified his willingness to resign, as soon as a suitable man could be secured to succeed him, and a committee from the two major leagues authorized to choose a man have thus far failed to name one for the position.

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JUNIORS ROMP OVER SENIOR FIVE

In the initial inter-class basketball contest, the Seniors of P. H. S. were brought down a peg or two yesterday afternoon when the Juniors' basketball five romped over the upper classmen to the tune of 29 to 5.

Oh, my, how those "top rounders" in the halls of learning did crumble before the superiority of the under studies in an onslaught that was well nigh a football encounter. The whole show captured about Wilcox, a Junior, who rang the bell almost at will. The freshmen opened their season by wallowing their upper classmen, the Sophomores 7 to 4.

Caddock Beats Burns

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Earl Caddock, from Crutcher Burns in two successive heavy-weight wrestling champion, successfully defended his title, winning Burns was outclassed.





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CO-OPERATIVE PRODUCTION, BUYING AND DISTRIBUTION PLAN OF R.W.Y. EMPLOYEES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Organized railway employees have started on the other end of the line in an effort to solve the problem of the high cost of living. Unable to obtain relief through additional wage increases, which one of the chiefs said were invariably followed by increases in living costs, the four big railroad brotherhoods and the affiliated railway shop crafts have adopted a scheme to escape the profits of the middleman by a system of co-operative buying, production and distribution of the necessities of life.

Plans for the co-operative movement were laid at the farmer-labor conference at Chicago in November and, although they are in a tentative state, a definite course of action is expected to be adopted at a second conference called for February 12-15 at Chicago.

The proposal calls for an alliance between farmers and laborers to create direct dealing between farm producers and city consumers and between city producers and farm consumers.

This latest move on the part of the railway organizations was taken in some quarters to indicate that the railway men would slacken their pressure on the railroad administration for increased pay.

Tripartite Control Of American Industry New Plan Advanced By Plumb

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Tripartite control of American industry, in which the public, capital and labor would share equally, has been advanced by Glenn H. Plumb, author of a similar plan for railroads. Advanced copies of his proposal have been circulated among government officials and a public announcement is expected soon.

Plumb in presenting his plan declares that the "existing industrial system is crushing our own people" and that wages have no relation to the value of service and that profits are "arrogantly exacted."

Reconstruction of the industrial system, the author of the plan states, is necessary to produce absolute equality between three interests—the public, capital and labor.

To create this, he adds, the grant of society either as a privilege or monopoly shall be considered the investment of society in the industry and the capital invested and the labor exerted shall be deemed the investments of the capital and labor groups.

Profits on the investments, the plan provides, would be reaped by society.

In the form of better and cheaper service, by capital in guaranteed protection of investment and a fair rate of return and by labor in the shape of better wages and a share of savings produced by labor in production.

Under Plumb's plan, industry would be divided into four classes: Those individualistic in ownership and operation; those formerly individualistic but which, through organization, now concern only direction and supervision of production of others who have no interest in ownership; those based on grants from society, and railroads and commercial transportation facilities.

INVALID PROVES ABILITY TO DEFEND HIMSELF

YOUNGSTOWN, Jan. 8.—Michael Wickelich, who quarreled with Paul Sasa, a chronic invalid, found the sick man an unexpectedly active opponent, according to a report made to police today. Sasa hit Wickelich with a beer bottle, fracturing his skull, and hospital officials say he will die.

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Prince Alfred of Hohenlohe, his wife and son.

GALLI CURCI GETS DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Annette Galli Curci, grand opera singer, today laid her first American citizenship papers. Her first public act after being granted a divorce from Luigi C. Curci, an Italian artist, was to apply for naturalization.

According to her petition, filed four hours after her divorce yesterday, Signorina Galli Curci was born in Milan, Italy, Nov. 18, 1886.

The divorce decree, provided, that Curci should have no interest in the opera singer's property. Costs of the proceedings were assessed against him.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY CHIEFS IN SESSION

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 8.—Committee of the American Electric Railway Association today met for the purpose of providing adequate depreciation reserves for electric railways of the country was to be the principal subject of debate at the annual engineering meeting here today.

Street railway operators, commissioners and experts, public officials and political leaders of 200 cities were present.

Senator Harding will be one of the speakers at the meeting.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The policy of the federal reserve board respecting loans for speculative purposes was again a deterrent influence at the sluggish opening of today's stock market. Metal and food shares were the only issues to show a degree of firmness, the usual leadership especially oils and motors displaying moderate heaviness. Rails were almost entirely neglected and clean industrial recorded fractional declines.

CONSIDER STRIKE BENEFITS

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 8.—The question of strike benefits and exonerating membership dues for the month of November and December while miners were on strike, and other matters which they were prohibited from acting upon by the injunction issued by Federal Judge A. R. Anderson, are expected to come before the meeting of the international executive board of the United Mine Workers here today.

The reconvened convention of the mine workers adjourned late yesterday after voting to affirm the action of the international officers in accepting President Wilson's proposal for settlement of the strike and repudiating charges which were filed against Acting President John L. Lewis and Secretary Treasurer William Green.

The charges against the officers were filed by delegates Joe Lynott and Thomas F. O'Connor, of Peoria, Ill., who accused the officers with "rewarding" and refusing to carry out the instructions of the Cleveland convention because they accepted the settlement proposal. The convention ordered the charges stricken from the records of the proceedings.

President Lewis and Secretary Green will go direct to Washington from Columbus tomorrow. They have been summoned to appear in Washington Monday along with the other members of the scale committee of the central competitive field to present to the president's coal commission the miner's side of the controversy over the question of wages and working conditions in the mines. The scale committee will not have a meeting until it reaches Washington, it is said.

Aeronautical Show In Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Latest types of airplanes and flying equipment and displays showing the progress of aviation were exhibited today at the first western aeronautical show.

Exhibits were entered by the United States navy, the signal corps, aerial mail service and airplane manufacturers.

The show will continue a week, with daily demonstrations of the radio telephone and telegraph aerial bombs, torpedoes, machine guns and army and aerial mail machines.

The famous Spad, in which Captain Eddie Rickenbacker brought down 26 German opponents, was one of the centers of attraction. Airplanes designed for polar flying with sled runners designed as landing gear, also were shown.

ARNO VALLEY IS FLOODED

ROME, Jan. 8.—The Arno valley is flooded and many towns, among which are Bello, Caproni, Peretola and Peretola, are isolated. The lower part of the city of Pisa is inundated and it is feared lives have been lost at Calce.

Mrs. Charles Higgins, of Gallia avenue, who is in with tonsillitis, continues to improve.

Explains Presence Of Arctic Birds

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 8.—The presence of Arctic birds in the vicinity of Youngstown does not presage a continuance of cold weather, but is due to feeding conditions, according to George L. Fordyce, state bird observer here.

"It is likely that the birds are here, not because their instinct tells them they will be coldly comfortable with us," Mr. Fordyce said, "but because their food supply, which consists chiefly of seeds, failed in the Arctic regions for some reason unknown to us."

CLAIMS ASSAULT BY FEDERAL AGENTS

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 8.—Declaring that he had been beaten by federal agents when he could give no information as to "red" activities, Morris Orchin, released after being taken in one of the raids on radicals here today, obtained a John Doe warrant charging assault and battery for a federal agent said to be E. J. Williams. Orchin, who says he is an American citizen, says he was beaten with the strap end of a black jack during "thirty degree" proceedings.

Mr. Clark III

Philo S. Clark has been ill several days at his home on Second street.

OVER 2,000 KILLED BY MEXICAN QUAKE

MEXICO CITY, Wednesday, Jan. 7.—The estimated number of casualties attending the earthquake Saturday evening in the western part of the state of Vera Cruz still stands at 2,000 or more. Dispatches from the stricken area do not even estimate the damage done nor do they give accurate lists of dead. On the other hand, they do not deny reports of the disappearance of one village, the total destruction of several others and the inundation of several towns by water pouring down mountain streams.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE IN SESSION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—The delegation working for San Francisco as the 1920 convention city of the Democrats went into today's meeting of the national committee declaring they were absolutely assured that the Pacific coast city would win. Supporters of Kansas City were not so optimistic, but said they still had a chance.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—When and where the 1920 Democratic national convention is to be held still is undecided here today by the Democratic national committee. In a session which is expected also to lay a basis for campaign issues by a resolution endorsing the administration of President Wilson and his stand on the peace treaty.

San Francisco and Kansas City were leading before the meeting began for the choice of the convention city, but a delegation from Chicago had revived their campaign and declared they had a chance to win.

June 22 or June 29 were the dates most frequently mentioned for convention time.

The committee meeting, which was expected to last most of the day, is to be followed tonight by a banquet declared by leaders to be the greatest of its kind in the party's history. A dozen speakers, representing various wings of the party and including most of those prominently mentioned for the presidency will voice their views on current issues and a letter from President Wilson, which is expected to contain an important message regarding party affairs, will be read. Its contents have been closely guarded, but committee members expected it to touch on the peace treaty as a campaign issue and possibly outline the president's attitude toward a third term.

Submission of the convention bids to writing and a hearing on them in public session was a feature of the committee's program. The selection was expected to be made late in the day in an executive session after Chairman Cummings had submitted his report and the resolutions concerning President Wilson had been adopted.

Will Confer With Clemenceau

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Premiers Lloyd George and Nitti left this morning for Paris, where they will confer with Premier Clemenceau, of France.

A. J. Matfuer, former secretary of state for foreign affairs, A. Bonar Law, government leader in the house of commons, and Earl Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs, were members of the party.

Vittorio Scialoja, Italian foreign minister, with his staff, accompanied Premier Nitti.

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Arcana Today—Bryant Washburn in "All Wrong"

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INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 8.—The Indianapolis Baseball Club of the American Association will train at St. Petersburg, Fla., and will play exhibition games with the Washington Americans in training at Tampa. It was announced today by Jack Hendricks, general manager of the local club. Mr. Hendricks also announced the sale to the Baltimore Club of the Pacific Coast League of "Duke" Reilly, outfielder who has played with the Indianapolis Club every season but one since 1912.

Will Trade Hartley

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 8.—Grover Hartley, who managed the Columbus club of the American Association a part of last season, will not be with the club this season. Hartley wrote President Tinker that in view of the fact that "Burr" Clymer has been appointed manager for the coming season he preferred to be traded.

Buys Yacht Of Emperor

ZURICH, Jan. 8.—(Times)—A German sportsman has bought the yacht owned by former Emperor William of Germany, paying 2,000,000 marks for the craft, it is learned here.

Big Sale For Fight

NEW YORK, January 8.—The P. H. S. Leonard, Fight at New Haven, Conn., on January 15 has created an advance sale of over \$25,000.

GETZ SOLD

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Jan. 8.—President B. G. Allen of the Little Rock baseball club of the Southern Association last night announced the purchase from the Toledo club of the American Association of Scout Rasmussen Jake Getz, formerly with the Boston and Brooklyn clubs of the National League.

PENNY ANTE



When You're Late

Selects Will Have Strong Team To Go Against Chillicotheans

The Selects will play their fourth game of the season on Saturday, Jan. 10th, when they look up with their old rivals, the Chillicothe Athletic Club. These two teams have met every season and Chillicothe has always emerged on the short end of the score. However this year they send word that they have a real team, one that can shatter the hopes of the Select squad. They will certainly have to show us their ability on Saturday night.

Included in the Chillicothe line-up is Curry, former star high school and college player. He holds down the pivot position and incidentally directs the team. He is a former Ohio University man, is on one of the forward positions. Macman and Lila played together on the freshman O. U. team in 1918. Another well known athlete in the Chillicothe line-up is Corright, former star football and basketball player of Marietta College. The Chillicothe quintet, as a whole, is composed of a fast bunch of men and should be able to make the Selects step some to beat them.

Howard "Pat" Shoemaker, former P. H. S. football and basketball star, has been practicing with the Selects the last week. It is more than likely that he will break in the game Saturday night. He would strengthen the Selects wonderfully. The Selects held an enthusiastic practice Tuesday evening. The admission for the Chillicothe game will remain the same. Owing to the rivalry between Chillicothe and Portsmouth, it is expected a capacity crowd will witness this contest.

The Selects are still trying to book a game with Huntington. They have not received any replies to their correspondence, but will keep after Huntington until they either play or back down. They would like to know whether it was stage fright or lack of material.

COMMISSION MAY SELECT NEW CHAIRMAN

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 8.—Election of a new chairman may be one of the results of the annual meeting of the national baseball commission here today. President John Heydler, of the National League, and B. B. Johnson, of the American League, are in Cincinnati for the yearly conference with August Herrmann, the third member of the commission.

Under the terms of the national agreement, the chairman shall be elected annually by the presidents of the two major leagues, who are ex-officio members of the commission. Unless the two presidents agree there can be no election.

In view of opposition to Herrmann, he has repeatedly signified his willingness to resign as soon as a suitable man could be secured to succeed him, but a committee from the two major leagues authorized to choose a man have thus far failed to name one for the position.

Johnson has been openly in favor of Herrmann, but it is said, Heydler arrives with instructions not to vote for his reelection.

While several very important matters and much routine will come before the commission today, it is expected the meeting will last only one day.

THIS CARPENTIER IS A REGULAR GUY

PARIS, Jan. 8.—Georges Carpentier is willing to give concessions in the matter of weight in order to meet Jack Dempsey, according to a statement made today to the Associated Press by Descamps, his manager. Descamps said he was willing to split the weight and accept a split of 60-40 of \$100,000 purse offered by James Corbett on a basis of 10 percent for the winner and 90 percent for the loser.

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JUNIORS ROMP OVER SENIOR FIVE

In the initial inter-class basketball contest, the Seniors of P. H. S. were brought down a bit or two yesterday afternoon when the Juniors' basketball team romped over the upper classmen to the tune of 29 to 5.

Oh, my, how those "top rounders" in the halls of learning did crumble before the superiority of the under-studies in an onslaught that was well brought down a bit or two yesterday afternoon when the Juniors' basketball team romped over the upper classmen to the tune of 29 to 5.

The Freshmen opened their season by walloping their upper classmen, the Sophomores, 7 to 4.

Willis To Meet Herman

Joe Willis, the New England champion wrestler, who has been making his home in Huntington for the past few months, has been matched to meet Young Herman on Thursday, January 15, at the Victory Hall.

Herman showed in his match with Finley that he was qualified to meet the best men in the game, and Willis is counted to be among the best of the middle-weights, having defeated all the aspirants for the title in the New England states. Willis is well known here in Portsmouth as a good, clever wrestler and a clean worker, who is out to win every time on his merits, and the match should draw a capacity house.

Caddock Beats Burns

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Earl Caddock, heavy-weight wrestling champion, successfully defended his title, winning from Cyclone Burns in two successive falls here last night before a large audience.

Burns was defeated.

BIG LEAGUE TRAINING SEASON GETTIN' DOGGONE CLOSE



The repelling of the time limit allowed big league clubs for spring training means that the big league club will send their first squads south the last few days of the season—less than two months from now. Which isn't far distant as the baseball bug goes. The prospect to be used by the clubs are now being groomed. The Red Sox will train at Whittington Park, Hot Springs, Ark., on Monday. This is the first time the Sox have trained in the South since 1914. And the best bet is Red Sox.

Four Letter Men On Team

ATHENS, O., Jan. 8.—Ohio "T" opens the stiffest basketball schedule in recent years here Friday evening with one of his hardest games—against Capital University of Columbus. Ohio has four letter men on the team. Captain Stockdale and Norman at guards, and Forwards Davis and King.



The game's most unfortunate player, Manager Mitchell of St. John announces Mitchell will remain with the Cubs next season.

Many Arrangements.

When you leave the east coast of Africa, you strike across the Indian ocean, following the equator, which cuts Sumatra and Borneo in halves. It is in the forests of these great islands that our somewhat less well known, the orang-outang, roams. At the Malay archipelago (which properly includes the Philippines) which is described as a partly subcontinent, and no great amount of geological uplift would be required to convert it into a single land mass worthy of big as Australia.

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NOT SO BITTER AS THAT

SECRETARY Green of the coal miners' union, is a man, a representative for whom we have much respect and admiration. In trying positions he has been patient and forbearing, all the time exhibiting a spirit of moderation and fairness. At no time has he shown a disposition to become arrogant and arbitrary because in his position he exercises much influence and has considerable power.

We concede, therefore, that he means to be truthful, as he was sincere, in telling the United Mine Workers' Convention, at Columbus, that the reason the terms set down by President Wilson for the settlement of the strike was accepted, was that continuation of it meant disaster and defeat, because public sentiment was so inflamed against the miners' officers that had they been taken out and shot the public would have applauded. We do believe, however, that he is not correct, altogether. Of course, continuation of the situation that prevented the mining of coal would have meant disaster, already working, and defeat for the strikers may have been the final result, but public sentiment was not wrought up to the extent he measured it. Every individual was either affected or menaced by the strike and the body of the nation not understanding the position as miners themselves did, was, naturally, not in sympathy with their drastic action. And American public sentiment, too, is tolerant and forbearing. It is not prone to run to extremes and violence. Secretary Green is not fair to it when he tells his fellow miners it would have welcomed the summary execution of himself and other officers.

JUST A WAY IT HAS

GREGORY Weinstein, chancellor of the alleged "Bolshevik embassy" to the United States, and reputed to be the most dangerous "Red" in the country, has been placed under arrest and will be deported from the country.

As no thief was ever known to have a good opinion of the law, when he felt the halter draw, so this arch plotters against the American government has no good opinion of the authorities and the secret service department. To the exact contrary, he estimates them all and accuses them of being the authors of the fate that has befallen him and his fellows. Worst of all he is aggrieved at their methods, for does he not charge that they smuggled themselves into the inner councils of the Soviet, had ready pen in indicting their criminal literature and cunning hand in fashioning the bombs by which they expected to strike terror into organized government and cause its downfall?

Indeed, he does, and for that he should be informed that he has stated nothing startling. It is the honest, and the honest is substantiated by fact, that the American secret government is the most efficient and efficient among reputable and count governments. It studies the methods of criminals and in consummate understanding of their methods and purposes adapts itself to them. Its practice in the end justifies the means. It adopts every resource and takes every hazard. Its creed is to get the criminal, its belief is that it can get him and it never stops until it does. Its policy is to saw wood and say nothing. The people, led by the press, may get into a pandemonium and make confusion worse confounded, by crying in a loud and united voice: "Why does not the government do something?" but it gives no sign, utters no word, until the trap is sprung and he is the game.

Why here, less than two weeks ago the land was filled with denunciations and obnoxiousities to the anarchists, the communists, the Bolsheviks was proceeded unchecked and undisturbed in their foul machinations and here today we have Weinstein and thousands of his confederates incarcerated, with forty thousand others marked men. The wailings of Weinstein shows there are better ways of capturing a felon than going after him with a brass band.

The secret service department has a long arm and it generally gets 'em. Grover Birgdon, a Philadelphia youth, who dodged military service two years, and was arrested yesterday, has reason to believe as much.

Huntington must hold there can be too much even of a good thing, hence its wail over the rigid enforcement of "Sabbatarian laws."

Our old friend, Hon. Ed Moore, of Youngstown, is in Washington on the mission of eliminating either Cox or Pomorene from the presidential race. Some job, but Ed never shied at anything.

So near and yet so far, those with the thirst may well exclaim.

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY

O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Up on the fourth floor of 43 East street in Chinatown the Hip Sing Yow has under guard being meeting. The bland Chinese delegates come from fourteen great cities where the "Yow" extends. They meet in a little low, dark room, hung with colored papers, under the watchful eye of a great golden Buddha. A Chinese sluttish street is full with rickety, faded houses and 13 feet is a squat, building, mouldy, and crouching. The Hovey and its equal is around the corner and a little further away is Chinatown Square where the spider's web of the elevated is spun in the clouds and screams down with snoring lungs of steel. The Chinese talk while the air grows heavy with the fumes of joss sticks smouldering in the bronze jar before Buddha and cigarettes smoke is thick too. The Chinese can smoke 200 cigarettes a day and then live or six pills of opium at night and keep going all through the paper like flesh, bloodless lips and glazed eyes show the effects.

At the long meeting an old man starts in a shouting exhortation his eyes cast down to the ground. The old man always speak first. A Western ear cannot tell what they are talking about. It may be Chinese immigration, of trade ventures or the numerous feud with the On Long Tong.

Although they have adopted Western clothes and have cut their queues, their minds are Oriental and their tongue is the Oriental tongue.

It is a far cry from their land of pale yellows and exultant bells through rickety with silver pagoda bells through lotus scented brooms to the murky smouldering room that is their rendezvous in the Western world. But they retain the Western pattern of ancient wisdom, ancient culture and intolerance. All about the street is the odor of opium that has faded to its last bitter, stinking drugs.

Up and down in front of the building the police patrol silently with guns cocked for they have learned that at any moment a bloody feud may break out.

Miss Amy Lowell, queen of the free verse makers, is not pleased with certain reports of her habits. They are inaccurate. She complains to a New York friend that she has been reported as smoking strong black cigars, whereas she smokes only the mildest Mantins. People should be careful of such things for the soul of a poet is sensitive.

Along Broadway are known Gate Crashers. Gate Crashers is a citizen whose aim in life is to get into some sort of entertainment for nothing. He is generally soft-colored, soft-bellied, soft-mannered fellow who goes about other people's business in a way so delicate that it makes other people think the business does not belong to them after all. They fawn over journalists and call David Belasco "Dave"—including his back, of course.

It is apparent that a group of drug stores in New York expect an epidemic of some kind this winter which will require the use of whiskey. The stores are sending out notices to physicians that they will be prepared to dispense whiskey on genuine prescriptions at \$1.50 a quart. People who formerly drank beer, it is said, have now turned to whiskey. The beer has lost its wallop, as weak as it was, but one shot of the squirrel or eagle whiskey that is now procurable almost anywhere will make the drinker hop or fly, according to the brand. The other night at a theatre I sat next to a man who was in a correct evening dress who would take a little silver flask from his pocket now and then for a nip. As the play wore on he finally offered the flask to me. I declined but asked him what it was. "Perfume with a 95 per cent kick," he confided.

SHE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

I never realized before what a hard thing it is to be unselfish. How glibly we preach unselfishness, especially applied to married life, prating of "mutual concessions" and "noble sacrifices." But, oh, when it comes right home to us—wow, how we squirm and fight! It's like the loathsome, it just seems as if we couldn't stand it. Even an eagle would be better off on a rock, or a lion on a hillside. Anything else but what we've got! Every one else's problem is easier than ours! Other people's burdens are so much lighter than the one we have.

Well, that's how I feel about this Hammond's Corners thing. Since Jim and I have been discussing it I have realized as never before that a truly unselfish person deserves a salute of crowns!

"Think what the new contract means to us, Ann," says Jim for the hundredth time. "In a few years we'll be rich. It's a great chance for us. In six months I'll be drawing as much as my salary in commissions. We'll have ten thousand a year, Ann, think of it!"

"Yes, Jim, I am thinking of it," I say for the hundredth and first time. "If only it didn't mean living at Hammond's Corners."

"What do you care? You can have a car and it's only 112 miles from New Albany. You can run in there for shopping and show."

I looked at Jim. What more, to be sure, could a woman want than a chance to go to shops and shows in Albany, and a Ford to go to!

"I know, Jim, it isn't beyond the pale of civilization," I try to keep the bitterness out of my voice. "And I'm not complaining. But I'm only human, and can't go into exclaiming over leaving New York and our home here, and my friends, and my work."

I almost choked and had to

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river reported 18 and was stationary at 7 o'clock this morning.

The rainfall last night and this morning amounted to .55 of an inch. The D. T. Lane passed up this morning with some empty barges.

River traffic remains suspended here as it is almost bank full of heavy ice.

WHO'S WHO
In The Days News

ROBERT H. TYNDALL

Robert H. Tyndall, the newly elected national treasurer of the American Legion, is a native of Indianapolis, the permanent home of the Legion's headquarters. He was born May 2, 1877, and has for some time been connected with the Fletcher American banking interests, which connection he will retain during his period of office with the American Legion. He succeeded Jasper G. Bacon of Boston, who recently resigned.



R. H. TYNDALL

1907. This battery was mustered into the Twenty-seventh Indiana volunteer battery on May 10, 1898, becoming a part of the expeditionary force in Porto Rico, August 4 to September 7, 1898.

In 1900 he enlisted in the reorganized Indiana national guard and served as corporal, sergeant, lieutenant and captain of Battery A, Indiana national guard, to April 22, 1913, when he was commissioned a major and placed in command of First Battalion, Indiana field artillery.

He served on the border, having been stationed at Llanos Grande, Tex., from July 10, 1916, to January 10, 1917. He was promoted to the rank of colonel on April 15, 1917, and placed in command of the 150th field artillery, Forty-second division (Rainbow), arriving in France October 31, 1917.

He was in command of the regiment throughout the war with Germany and was part of the army of occupation up until April 7, 1919. He was mustered out of service on May 24, 1919.

AMONG THOSE MOST CONSPICUOUS BY THEIR ABSENCE AT THE YULE-TIDE FESTIVITIES WERE—



Who's Who—Sul Why?

An important looking woman bustled up to the cashier and handed him a \$40 check to cash. The teller glanced at the check, and glancing the greenbacks asked in his pleasant tones: "What denomination, madam?"

"Fifty," replied the woman.

"What are you?"—Philadelphia North American.

No Romance In That

"Was your first meeting with your wife romantic?"

"Naw. We used to make faces at each other over the back fence when we were kids."

Tough Luck

"Guess I'll have to go without any sugar at dinner."

"Couldn't you get any?"

"It isn't that. I have quite a little, but I've lost the key to my safe deposit box."

Take That, Will You?

"The torn of the under is laid on the 'ill,'" said the little boy at the biggest school treat. But somehow his version of that line in "Kathleen" was the old equine.

"My little man," he said kindly, "why don't you put a few more stitches in your song?"

"Garn," replied the little man, politely. "Don't you know there ain't no 'n' in moose? It only goes up to G."

Oh, My!

"They are very particular at the new bakeshop. The girls who wait on customers have to wear white gloves."

"Yes, and I'm told they didn't even allow the lady fingers to touch the other cookies."

Keeping Him In Practice

"Didn't I hear you say that you took fencing lessons when you were in college?" asked Farmer Moddergrass.

"Yes," replied his son, home during the vacation.

"Well," said Farmer Moddergrass, "there's yer overalls. Git them on, my son, I'll set ya to diggin' post holes."

Another Exercise

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POLLY AND HER PALS



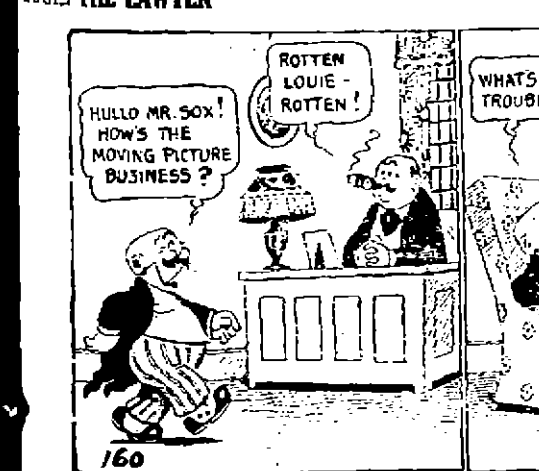
Evidently Neewah Overheard Aunt Maggie's Threat



BY CLIFF STERRETT



LOUIE THE LAWYER



Written On Asbestos



BY M. M. BRANNER



SPEAKING OF TROUBLE

By Probasco



--MAYOR GABLEMAN

Get Your Souvenir

Sergeant Weather's, of the Army Recruiting Office, 703 Chittenden street, announced today that all men who had served with the American army in France could receive, free of charge, a French souvenir by calling at the office for same.

Peerless Lodge K. of P. held a very good meeting Tuesday night with a very large attendance. Virgil Itin and Clarence Eligor were initiated into the Page rank.

The newly elected officers were installed by Lodge Deputy D. E. Roschmoller, Commander, Frank Gieger, Vice-Chancellor, John Fritz; Prelate, Fred T. Bissel; Master at Arms, B. M. Greger; Master of Work, Theo. Bannister; Master of Exchequer, Floyd Lumsden; Master of Finance, E. M. Brady; Clerk of Records and Seal, John Neuman; Inner Guard, Carol Davis; Outer Guard, Joseph Ross.

The lodge has quite a number of new applications and will have work in the Esquire Hall next Tuesday night.

OBITUARY

many years engaged in furmace work, having away early yesterday afternoon at his home, aged 88 years. Mr. Caldwell was a veteran of the Civil War and was a member of Co. I, Second Kentucky Cavalry. He was one of the best known men of this section and was a member of Dick Lambert Post No. 1, A. O. U. of this city. Mr. Caldwell spent most of his life in this vicinity and was actively engaged until a few years ago. His death was due to infirmities of age.

The deceased is survived by the daughters, Mrs. A. C. Rutledge, Portsmouth, Mrs. Chas. Kemp, Miamisburg, Ohio, and Mrs. Fried, wife of Dr. Friedel of Memphis, Tenn.

The funeral services will be at the auspices of the G. A. R.—Trenton.

Miss Clara Ross
Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ross received a message yesterday telling of the death of their niece, Miss Clara Ross, who passed away at a sanitarium at Corn, Ill. following an operation.
Miss Ross had been in very poor health for the past six years as a result of the after effects of an attack of typhoid fever.

of influenza and it was in hopes of
securing a restoration of her health
she entered a sanitarium and has
submitted to an operation. She is
a daughter of the late John Ross, a
sister of Joe Ross, of Portman
and Albert M. Ross, of Portman.
At the time of her last illness she
held a splendid position as secretary to

general manager of the J. W. Thompson Advertising Company, Chicago, and was an exceptionally bright and capable young woman. She was twenty-seven years of age.

The deceased had visited in Iowa a number of times at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ross, and had on a number of occasions been the guest of a circle of local friends to whom she was very popular.

Miss Celena Goodman, who was recently operated upon in Hempstead,

(Ashland Independent)
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. B. Sower
have returned after spending the week
in Portsmouth, the guests of Mrs.

Miss Anna Borders and Miss Louise Erickson have returned from a visit to relatives in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Clara Meyers of Highland avenue will leave the first of next week for an extended stay in Cincinnati.

Miss Kathryn Satterfield of the street left today for West Union for a week end visit with home folks.

Suffering From Paralysis
Troy Jones, of the West Side, suffered paralysis following a bullet wound he received by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his brother while hunting, is getting along nicely.

WILL NOT OPEN STORE
FRONTON, Jan. 8.—The Lewis & Clark Fur Company, which holds a

year lease on the Cloran building
Second street and recently took
the large room preparatory to
a large branch store in the city
decided not to open the new store
reason given is the fact that the
stock of furniture the kind they
wanted to handle was too hard to get.

their intention to remain in the
same location on Railroad Street.